New York Bonds.

Colorado Midland 4s.
Colorado & Southern 4s.
Cuba 5s, bld.
Denver & Rio Grande 4s, offered.
Distillars, Sometime

Denver & Rio Grande 4s, offered.
Distillers' Securities 5s.
Erie prior lien 4s.
Erie general 4s, bid.
Hocking Valley 44s, bid.
Japan 44s, certificates.
Mexican Gentral 4s.
Mexican Gentral 4s.
Mexican Central 1st inc.
Minn. & St. Louis 4s. offered.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 4s.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 2ds.
National R. R. of Mexico consol 4s, offered.
New York Central general 34s.
New Jersey Central general 5s.
I Northern Pacific 4s.
Northern Pacific 3s.
Norfolk & Western consol 4s.

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Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s.
Pennsylvania cv. 3½s.
Reading general 4s.
St. Louis & Iron Mountain consol 5s.
St. Louis & San Francisco fg. 4s.
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s.
Seaboard Air Line 4s. offered.
Southern Pacific 4s, bid.
Southern Pacific 1st 4s, certificates.
Southern Rallway 5s.

Southern Pacific 1st 4s, certificates
Southern Railway 5s.
Texas & Pacific 1sts, bid.
Toledo, St. L. & Western 4s.
Union Pacific 4s.
Union Pacific cv. 4s.
United States Steel 2d 5s.
Wabash 1sts, bid.
Wabash 1sts, bid.
Wabash deb. B. bid.
Western Maryland 4s.
Wheeling & Lake Erie 4s.
Wisconsin Central 4s, bid.
Japan 4s.

Interborough-Metropolitan 41/48.....

BOSTON, January 4.

N. Y., N. H. a Union Pacific.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

MONEY.

· RAILROADS.

Boston & Albany, asked
Boston & Maine
Boston Elevated
Fitchburg, pfd., bid
Mexican Central
N. Y., N. H. and H.

Norfolk & Western consol 4s.

Extreme Irregularity Marked Week-End Movements.

FLUCTUATIONS CONSTANT

Northern Pacific the Focus of All the Buying.

INDUSTRIALS STRONG

Foreign Markets Offered No Assistance to Advancing

Tendency.

Special Dispatch to The Star. NEW YORK, January 4 .- The stock market today had an appearance of being whipped into activity by artificial means, owing to extreme irregularity and inconstancy of the movements. Upward and downward fluctuations were constant, and there were opposing currents in the movement at all times. Northern Pacific was a focus of the buying movement and rumors were revived of a coming extra dividend disbursement on the stock, for which there was no official Reading, on the other hand, St. St. was affected by profit taking, which was conducted in an orderly manner and de-

A number of industrials were prominent for strength, including the coppers. Foreign markets offered no assistance to the advancing tendency here. Berlin reported some anxiety over the money situation, owing to a forthcoming Prussian loan. The discount rate receded there, however, in spite of the
weak return of the Imperial Bank of
Germany for the past week. Discounts
showed a hardening tendency in London
with the payment of heavy obligations to the Bank of England.

sisted from on the declines in the stock.

The publication by the Treasury Department of the statement of money in circulation on the first of the year dis-closed the continuance of the wide expansion of the circulation of the country during December, the addition for that month reaching \$70,748,000. This fol-lowed an increase in November of \$131,-873,000, and in October of \$70,000,000, bringing the addition to the circulation for the three months up to \$272,621,000 and making the total in circulation \$3. 078,989,000 \$35.48 per capita, which is the highest per capita circulation ever reached in this country. A good effect was produced by the reports of savings banks authorities that withdrawals after the first of the year are turning out to be no

MISCELLANEOUS.

American Arge. Chemical, bid.

American Arge Chemical, pfd.

American Pneumatic Tube. larger than normal.

It was thought possible that intended withdrawals with the expiration of the York might have been deferred until after the interest period had passed.

American Pneumatic Tube 4
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American Sugar, pfd. bid 113
American Woolen, Pfd 101½
American Moolen, pfd 101½
American Electric 1111m
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American statement was a factor in the buying of stocks, but the irregular tone of the market persisted to the closing. The \$8,-000,000 gain in cash by the banks indicates that the disappearance of the cur-

	rency premium has broug out of hearding from le				United States Steel, pfd	88
	well as starting the inflo				MINING.	2
	the interior.	60 m	at aa	lange	Allouez	29 48
	The decrease in deposits as the loan contraction we				Amalgamated	10
	offset by the cash increase	e, and	a fu	rther	Bingham	600
	cancellation of clearing cates is inferred from this			ertin-	Centennial	25
	Bonds were firm. Total			alue,	Daly West	59 7
	\$1.238,000.				Franklin Granby, bid	8
	U. S. 2s have declined ½ during the week.	per c	ent or	call	Isle Royale	78 18
	daring the week.				Massachusetts Mining	3
	New York Closing	Stock	List	.	Michigan Mohawk	49
	NEW YORK, January 4.				Montana Coal and Coke	30
		-Sal	les-	Clos'g	Osceola, bid	88
	Adams Express. Amalgamated Copper American Car & Foundry, finer Car & Foundry, pfd. American Cotton Oil, pfd. American Express. American Linseed Oil, pfd. American Linseed Oil, pfd. American Linseed Oil, pfd. American Locomotive. American Sugar Refining. American Swatting & Refng.	Higa.	Low.	Bid. 165	Parrot Quincy	10 85
	Amalgamated Copper	49%	47%	49 31¼	Shannon	10
-	Amer. Car & Foundry, pfd	89%	89%	881/2	Tamarack	67
	Apperican Cotton Oil not	31	31	30 80-85	Trinity United Copper, bid. United States Mining. United States Oil.	33
	American Express		1	70-200	United States Oil	10
	American Ice Securities	1814	17%	131/ ₉ 175/ ₈	Utah	30
	American Linseed Oil			7.74	Winona	4
9.	American Locomotive	37	36%	36%	Wolverine	119
1	American Locomotive, pfd	86	851/2	86	New York Mining Stocks.	
1	Amer. Smelting & Refng., pfd	1074	278	9314	NEW YORK, January 4.	
	American Sugar Refining	1081/4	106 76	106¼ 76	Adams Con	5
	Anaconda Mining Co	30	291/4	2914	Alice, offered	
١.	Amer Tobacco, pfd., certif. Anaconda Mining Co. Atchison, pfd. Atlantic Coast Line. Baltimore & Oblo.	85	69%	841/2	Brunswick Con	
R	Atlantic Coast Line	711/2	69	72	Con. Cal. and Va	
1	Baltimore & Ohlo. Baltimore & Ohlo. Brooklyn Rapid Transit. Canadian Pacific. Central of New Jersey. Central Leather. Central Leather. Central Leather. Chesapeake & Ohlo. Chicago Great Western. Chicago & Northwestern. Chicago Mil. & St. Paul	83	82%	82% 77-84	Horn Silver	8 17
	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	41%	40%	40% 157%	Iron Silver	
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Ã.	Chesapeake & Ohio	301/2	29%	761/4 293/4	Savare	32
£.	Chicago Great Western	13814	13812	138	Sierra Nevada Small Hopes.	
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া	Chicago Terminal & Trans	*****		3-5 11-15		
	C. C. & St. Louis	57	57 20	5744 1934	Washington Stock Exchange.	
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				98%	Mergenthaler Linotype, 4 at 19314. After call-Capital Traction 5s, \$1,000 at 1	101
	Corn Products Rig. Co	57	11 57	11 58	Washington Rwy, and Elec. 4s, \$2,000 at 7	74%
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NEW YORK BANK CLEARANCES.

NEW YORK, January 4.-The statement of clearing house banks for the week (five days) shows that the banks held \$11,509,-550 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is an increase of \$8,660,800 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

Loans, \$1,132,871,800; decrease, \$14,822,

Deposits, \$1,048,465,800; decrease, \$2,459, Circulation, \$72,316,300; increase, \$579.

Specie, \$192,120,900; increase, \$4,246,600. Reserve, \$250,606,900; increase, \$8,045,-Reserve required, \$202,116,450; decrease

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days, 7 per cent; six months, 6 to 7 per Close-Prime mercantile paper, 8 to 10 per cent. Sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85.70a

bonds firm.
The Financier will say: As was expected from the preeliminary estimates of the movements of money last week and from other data showing

reductions in loans and deposits, the bank it is noteworthy that such receipts were and trainmen upon the conductors. larger last week than in the corresponding periods in the past two years, which is of itself a most encouraging fact.

\$11,509,550 deficiency.

Public deposits were reduced two and one-half millions because of recalls there-

last week which had been temporarily effected in the previous week with deposits of funds in the bank preparatory to the distribution of dividends and in-11845 terest. It would seem that such payments will be largely increased during this week, thus contributing to a further contraction in loans, and if there shall then be a gain in cash, as seems probable because of arrivals of gold from Europe and of a return of currency from the interior, the deficiency may be wellnigh if not entirely extinguished.

THE GRAIN MARKETS

ceipts in the northwest and a marked de-crease in the world's china marked derecurrence of the strong feeling. Large bump, spilling out all hands. clearances, higher prices for cash wheat, an increased demand for export, and the report that northwestern millers are bid-Is ding high for hard winter wheat were the to 737,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 430,000 bushels, against 653,000 bushels on the same day last year. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 207 cars, against 253 cars last

heavy selling by holders soon brought about a decline. On the slump, however, renewed speculative demand and the strength of wheat brought about a firmer feeling, and the market soon advanced to a level slightly above the close of yesterday. May opened 423 to 324 c higher, 50 and closed firm at 61% a61½. Local receipts were 141 cars, with one of contract

trading was very light. May opened 1/3c higher, at 54%, and sold between 541/2a55, and closed at 55. Local receipts were 122

The run on hogs, both here and at other western packing centers, was very heavy, and the provisions market was under considerable pressure from packers. Prices, however, ruled firm for the greater part of the day, because of the strength of grain and on a good outside investment demand. At the close May pork was 10c demand. At the close May pork was 10c higher, at 13.37½. Lard was up 2½a5c, at 8.07½a8.10. Ribs were 2½a5c, to 7½c to 10c higher, at 7.25a7.27½. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 18 cars; corn, 137 cars; oats, 116 cars; hogs, 123,000 head.

DULUTH, Minn., January 4 .-- Wheat No. 1 hard, 1.12%; No. 1 northern, 1.11%, No. 2 northern, 1.08%; May, 1.15%; July

MILWAUKEE, Wis., January 4.-Wheat, Mil. WAUKEE, Wis., January 4.— Wheat, No. 1 northern, 1.14a1.16; No. 2 northern, 1.10½a1.12; May, 1.08¾, Rye, No. 1, 82a82½, Barley, No. 2, 1.02; sample, 70a1.02, Corn, No. 3 cash, 5oa58; May, 61¾ asked. ST. LOUIS, Mo. January 4.—Wheat, No. 2 red cash, ...66a1.06½; 10. 2 hard, 1.03 a1.66; May. 1.07½, ...July. 97½. Corn, No. 2 cash, 56a56½; May, 58%; July 58¾a58%; No. 2 white, 57a57½. Oats, No. 2 cash, 50; May, 52½; No. 2 white, 53.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, January 4.—Hogs, easy; butchers' and shippers', 4.55a4.57½; common, 3.40a4.15. Cattle, strong, fair to good shippers, 4.90a5.40; common, 2.00a 3.25. Sheep, strong, 2.00a4.50. Lambs strong, 4.50a6.75.

MINNEAPOLIS. January 4.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.14¾; July, 1.14¾; No. 1 hard, 1.16½; No. 1 northern, 1.14½; No. 2 northern, 1.12½; No. 3 northern, 1.08½a 1.10½. Frour steady; first patents, 5.70a 5.80; second patents, 5.60a5.70; first clears, 2.70a 2.80. Rean 4.30a4.40; second clears, 3.50a3.60. Bran

UNION TRUST COMPANY.

Hearing on the Petition for Perma

ment of a permanent receiver for the Union Trust Company, which closed its doors during the recent financial panic, \$117.669.153. was postponed for three weeks by Justice William H. Sweetland in the superior MANCHESTER CLOTH MARKET. court today. The plan formulated by the receiver contemplates the carrying out of the reorganization and the re-establishment of the Union Trust Company by voting trustees.

Justice Sweetland said that in his opinliquidation should be prevented if

New York Metal Market.

IN INDUSTRIAL WORLD Financial News Letter

NEW YORK, January 4.-Though employers declare the 1908 building outlook | Special Correspondence of The Star. bad there will be no reduction in wages of at least 38,600 workmen, contracts having been closed already for another year at the 1907 scale. Negotia- balmed in voluminous newspaper pages tions between the employers and 28,500 of "annual reports and reviews," the men are still pending. The latter say

they will submit to no reduction. Those who have already closed coners, modelers and wood carvers.

Those with whom negotiations are pending. are the carpenters, metal lathers, sheet metal workers, plumbers and cement masons. Legal tenders, \$58,486,000; increase, \$3,-'We may have a poor building season

this year," says the statement by the em-ployers' association. "The mechanics.

DAYTON, Ohio, January 4.-The Platt

eral Manager Higgins of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Com-

BUFFALO, N. Yr, January 4.—The Lack-awanna Steel Company will relight the The receipts of gold from abroad and fires of its open-hearth furnaces early next

ROCKY FORD, Col., January 4.-The Loans were contracted \$14.822,000; this placed at over \$525,000, mainly loans on was caused by the cancellation of loans high-grade farm lands.

GET PROXIES FOR FISH.

Was Successful.

Scarritt, who went abroad in November to obtain proxies for Stuyvesant Fish in is really over. The expectation in this his battle for the control of the Illinois quarter is that on every considerable rally Central against E. H. Harriman, re-turned yesterday by the Cunarder Lusibe in sufficient volume to check any tania with the declaration that he had obtained the right to vote for Mr. Fish Meantime, as the supply of funds en-CHICAGO, January 4.—A heavy pre-ponderance of bullish news caused a Great Britain and in Holland. He said of the better class of securities and the strong wheat market here today. At the close wheat for May delivery was 1% al½c higher. Corn was up 1%a1½c. Oats

crease in the world's shipments as comin England. He came down sooner than
would like to see during the ensuing year pared with last year. A slight decline, due the pilot of the balloon expected, after to realizing sales, followed the opening, but later a rush of bullish news caused a his foot entangled in a hamper of wine Harriman. The entire financial combut later a rush of bullish news caused a just after the airship made her final munity is giving a hearty second to the

THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

chief factors. It was also reported that the grain /crops of Norway were below normal on account of excessive rains last summer. May opened 44%c higher, at 1.07%a1.07%, sold between 1.06% and 1.08%. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 73.7000 bushels. Primary receipts and one proved a little too rapid; the public did not respond as freely as had been anteriors ticipated, and the professionals who had been for years conducting gigantic market operations on the stock exchanges ticipated, and the professionals who had bought stock in anticipation of an increased outside demand with the advent of cheaper money were disappointed and than ever before as the greatest gambles. It is tall, the fact that the courts sustain the demands of the interstate commission to insert the probe into the limeight more conspicuously into the limeight more conspicuously is then ever before as the greatest gambles. ers on the same day last year. Minned apolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 207 cars, against 253 cars last week, and 437 cars a year ago.

The corn market opened firm because of week weather throughout the corn belt, but well wet weather throughout the corn belt, but heavy saling by holders soon brought. gain of % and other first-class issues are corporations. correspondingly dearer. Good support from the insurance companies at the end from the insurance companies at the end of the week imparted additional strength. Foreign stocks shared in the general Foreign stocks shared in the general improvement owing to favorable conditions in Paris and Berlin, but Japanese Pacific system. In that respect he is bonds eased at the end of the week on continental selling and the revival of unfavorable reports regarding the relations between the United States and Japan.

American shares showed little change for the week except Atchison, which was down 2 points on poor traffic returns, and

tion of the market has failed to attract outside interest, and business has been left entirely to the professionals. The early strength this week was derived from the improved monetary outlook, but the Seaboard Air Line trouble and the reduction of the Anaconda dividend brought. The creation of this enormous liability in more patent as time advances, and people who not long ago were friendly down values again, although the final tone today was firm in anticipation of a good bank statement in New York.

The feature of the mining section dur-ing the week was the weakness of De owing to trouble in the diamond trade

amount pronounced ease is not expected for a time, while the prospective Argen-tine gold demands and the repayment of £3,500,000 in gold to the Bank of France is expected to keep discount rates firm

BERLIN, January 4.-Trading on the bourse today was unfavorably influenced by reports of a new Prussian loan and Prussian 3s fell one point and a half. \$7,000,000. The general monetary situation also af-

The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business vesterday was as fol-

\$150,000,000. Trust funds, to redeem out- personal account in trying to stem the nent Receiver Postponed.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., January 4.—The hearing on the petition for the appoint
hearing on the petition for the appoint
permanent Receiver Postponed.

Standing certificates: Gold coin, \$769,352,869; silver dollars, \$471,603,000; silver dollars, \$471,603,000; silver dollars, \$472,443,433,869. General funds, \$125,429,473; debut that sacrifice does not seem to satisfy.

By W. G. Nicholas.

NEW YORK, January 4, 1908. The financial and business history of 1907, having been duly and properly emfield is free for attempted forecasts of the future. And really accurate knowledge of what is to take place tomortracts are the woodworkers, bricklaye's row is of more value than the records and masons, elevator constructors, the of years that have gone by. It is not layers, horseshoers and movers, hoisting somuch what has taken place as what is engineers, electrical workers, journey- going to happen that interests Wall street. men stonesetters, marble cutters, marble Therefore, everybody is trying to figure polishers, plain and ornamental plaster- out the course of prices for the next thirty, sixty, ninety and 120 days and then some.

The immediate future of the stock and bond market will continue to depend upon the development of the monetary situaployers' association. "The mechanics, like the employers, can only hope that the stagnation will not last long. The arbitration agreement has reduced strikes arbitration agreement has reduced strikes arbitration agreement has reduced strikes." to a minimum and both sides feel that it should remain permanent." world believe. If there is a return to normal banking conditions in New York by The painters and housesmiths are not included in the list of organizations engaged in the present negotiation. They number 17,000.

mal banking conditions in New York by the end of the current month we may consider ourselves fortunate. Another week will probably see the deficit in banking reserves made up, but there will yet ing reserves made up, but there will yet remain to be retired a great mass of clearing house certificates. The banks have been very secretive as to the aggre-DAYTON, Ohio, January 1.

iron works, employing hundreds of men, iron works of the Barney & Smith the steel works of the Barney & Smith maximum totaled \$90,000,000. This amount maximum totaled \$90,000,000. This amount to the steel works of the Brownell boiler shops 4.85.80 for demand, and at 4.81a4.81.25 for sixty days' bills. Commercial bills, 4.80% and several other establishments here sixty days' bills. Commercial bills, 4.80% and several other establishments here stablishments here sixty days' bills. Commercial bills, 4.80% and several other establishments here said several other establishments here and several other establishments here days and the process will continue down due to a lack of orders. The Davis Sewing Machine Company increased its bands firm. force and will be running full in a short

With the disappearance of the deficit and the clearing house certificates the NEW HAVEN, Conn., January 4.-Gon- necessity of liquidating a great mass of securities now held by the banks and statement of last week was quite favorable in that it indicated good progress toward the extinction of the deficiency in reserve. This item was reduced to \$11,509,550 as the result of an increase of \$11,509,550 as the result of an increase of sagreement in regard to making the runs out as the market gets into position to sagreement. The convenient of the man so far as possible, convenient. \$8,660,800 in reserve. The cash gain during the week was \$8.045,900; this was due largely to receipts from the interior, and and as copiously as hoped for, but the tide is certain to move strongly ere long. With the return of confidence the money currents will resume their natural flow, from domestic sources contributed materially to the above-mentioned gain in cash. Deposits decreased \$2,450,600 as the result of the contraction in loans and of the augmentation in cash. The required reserve against deposits was \$114,000 and reserved extincts. The required reserve against deposits was \$114,000 and reserved extincts follows:

| The receipts of gold from abroad and fires of its open-hearth furnaces early next was a fires of its open-hearth furnaces early next while resume their natural flow, and it is only a question of weeks will have a comfortable and growing surplus of funds. In order to hurry the day time rates are maintained at a high level. A great many millions of dollars have been loaned durthe augmentation in cash. The required reserve against deposits was \$614.900, auding which to the increased cash made \$8.-660.800 as the gain in reserve as above to \$\$11.509.550 deficiency. of easy money as early as April or May may strike some as an inconsistence. It certainly betokens a willingness on the one-half millions because of recalls thereof by the treasury. Computed upon the
basis of deposits less those of public
funds a surplus of \$7,568.130 is shown.

Loans were contracted \$14.822,000; this of them were two months ago.

> The burden of opinion among the more Scarritt, Back From Europe, Says He experienced of the Wall street population seems to be that permanent and strong recovery in prices should not be ex-NEW YORK, January 4.-Winthrop E. pected until the cleaning up process is completed and the compulsory liquidation

were 14c higher. Provisions were 2½ to 10c higher.

The wheat market ruled strong all day. The opening was firm, because of light receipts in the post-breat control of the shareholders to uphold the standpoint of the shareholders to uphold the shareholders the shareholders to uphold the sha

Among the things which Wall street 6 popular motion for his eclipse. He is marked as the Jonah of the occasion—one of the chief excuses for ill feeling toward LONDON, January 4.—The stock ex-

American shares showed little change for the week except Atchison, which was down 2 points on poor traffic returns, and Canadian Pacific, which went up 5 owing to renewed speculative support. This section of the market has failed to attract outside interest, and business has been left entirely to the professionals. The was due to the purchase of the stock of other railroads to the extent of about \$132,000,000, including the control of Bal-timore and Ohio and large blocks of Atchison, New York Central, St. Paul and Illinois Central. Ground is found for much glorification over the large profits owing to trouble in the diamond trade there.

Money became considerably easier with the turn of the year, but as the market owes the Bank of England a large ever. of a shrinkage of approximately \$32,000,000 in money "reinvested" in the large profits accruing from the original Harriman gamble in Northern Pacific, something like \$35,000,000. Confession is made, however, of a shrinkage of approximately \$32,000,000 in money "reinvested" in the diamond trade accruing from the original Harriman gamble in Northern Pacific, something like \$35,000,000. \$32,000,000 in money "reinvested" in other

Since the last of June there has been further terrific shrinkage in the stocks of these companies, more than up to the date of the report. In Baltimore and Ohio alone there is figurable a loss of at least \$15,000.000, in Illinois Central at least \$8,000.000, in Atchison \$5,000.000 and in New York Central not less than

It would appear, therefore, that on a fected the market adversely, and all de-partments weakened.

basis of current quotations Mr. Harri-man's stupendous gambling with the money and credit of Union Pacific shows bourse today opened firm on New York advices, but then weakened on the unexpected announcement of a new Prussian loan and the rumor of a heavy diamond failure in America. Securities. As long as he was apparently making money in his titanic gambling plays with other people's money and his own he was all right, but now that the CONDITION OF THE TREASURY. growing disposition to take a kick at him and make him the scapegoat for all the ills of Wall street.

It is an open secret that Mr. Harriman Reserve fund: Gold coin and bullion. lost an enormous sum of money for his by the holidays and few transactions were reported during the week. Existing inquiries show that buyers anticipate lower prices, but producers display considerable firmness. Yarns were quiet, spinners being very reluctant to accept lower offers. The outcome of the ring spinning dispute is being awaited with interest.

New York Specie.

New York, January 4.—Imports of specie for the port of New York for the report of New York for the refused to notice slurring in the refused to notice slurring in the refused to notice slurring in the function of the credit of the cred

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fairs thus far, but his enemies seem to

the action he forced upon the stockholder at the annual meeting in Utah, approving annexed from speculations with corpora

lowers are taking to cover. He is en trenched officially for another year, but if he is able to maintain his position otherwise through 1908 it will be a grea surprise to the street.

Knickerbocker Receivership.

NEW YORK, January 4.- The temporary receivership of the Knickerbocker Trust Company was extended two weeks by Judge Clark at St. George, Staten Island, today penging the arrival of sufficient depositors' assents to the plan for resuming payments to permit the institution to open its goors. Affidavits were presented to the court showing that the stockholders had contributed \$2,400,000 as a guarantee fund, and that over 60 per cent of the depositors had already con

New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, January 4.- The salesmen from many dry goods houses have gone on the road again for spring and fall trade. Hosiery and underwear lines are open. Woolen and worsteds, staple lines, will be opened during the coming week. Some linen damasks have been advanced 10 per cent. Staple prints are to be kept at the list price for spring. Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ended December 28 were valued at \$10,-

Engaged Since the War.

STAMFORD, Conn., January 4 .- Jeremiah O'Meara, seventy years old, and 433,869. General funds, \$125,429,473; deposits in national banks, \$257,849,022; in Philippine treasury, \$4,112,344; awaiting reimbursement, \$64,011; current liabilities, \$117,669,153.

MANCHESTER CLOTH MARKET.

MANCHESTER, January 4.—Business but that sacrince does not seem to satisfy. Great curiosity is being manifested to the earlier deals through which Mr. Harriman was able in a period of less than eight years to amass one of the largest fortunes in Americation being the civil war broke out and O'Meara entitle to be given particulars of the spectacular deals in which he piled up millions with incredible speed for his own account. Ugly that he had left behind. She believed the total through which Mr. Harriman was able to the civil war broke out and O'Meara entitle deals in which he piled up millions with incredible speed for his own account. Ugly that he had left behind. She believed the had been killed, but was not able to confirm the belief. Neither ever married being the provided that he had been killed. The had been killed, but was not able to confirm the belief. Helen Naughton, sixty-five, were married MANCHESTER, January 4.—Business on the cloth market was again interrupted by the holidays and few transactions were would not be entirely to the credit of the latt was only a short time ago would not be entirely to the credit of the latt was only a short time ago would not be entirely to the credit of the

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